

SERVICES IN HONOR OF PATRIOT DEAD

Many Organizations in Cities of Country Unite in Tributes to Memory.

PARADES BY GRAND ARMY FEATURE OF EXERCISES

Henry Breckinridge, Assistant Secretary of War, Addresses the New York Assemblage.

NEW YORK, May 31.—Owing to the advanced age of most of the Grand Army veterans taking part in the Memorial day parade here today the line of march was shortened to less than half a mile. Members of forty-four Grand Army posts, a detachment of regulars from Governors Island, many National Guard and naval militia commands, Spanish War Veterans and other organizations marched up Riverside Drive to the Soldiers and Sailors' monument, to be reviewed by Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood, Rear Admiral Charles R. Hughes, retired, and Maj. Gen. John P. O'Ryan of the National Guard. Exercises were held at the monument and Grant's tomb.

Depicts the Evils of War. Henry Breckinridge, assistant secretary of war, was one of the speakers. Regarding the evils of war, he said: "War: Its horrible visage only is outshined in hideousness by one thing—that is in individual or a nation that has not the spirit to make whatever sacrifice is necessary to protect itself which it is threatened or assailed. There is nothing to fear for the courage and steadfastness and capacity for self-sacrifice of the American people. But there is cause for concern that the nation can be so circumvented as to let its defenses that undue weakness could not tempt either the covetous or ill-disposed, if such there be, to aggression against us."

Tonight memorial exercises will be held in Carnegie Hall. A parade and similar exercises were held in Brooklyn.

Observance in Chicago. CHICAGO, May 31.—Civil war veterans marched in review in their Memorial day parade here today. Including Spanish War Veterans, militia, civil and patriotic organizations, it was estimated that 10,000 persons were in line. Clear, cool weather brought thousands of persons to view the parade. Gov. Edward F. Dunne of Illinois and Mayor William Hale Thompson, with their staffs, were in the reviewing stand.

Pittsburgh Veterans Parade. PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 31.—Memorial day was observed here today, exercises which were preceded by parades of members of the G. A. R. and of semi-military organizations, being held in all the local cemeteries, where the graves of veterans were decorated with flowers.

Flowers Cast Into the Sea. SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—A feature of Memorial day was the casting of flowers into the sea from the deck of the battleship Oregon as a tribute to the memory of the many who have died in the line of duty.

Shiloh Baptist Pastor Eulogizes Union Soldier

Church Follows Its Annual Custom in Observing Memorial Sunday. Homage to Loyalty.

Following its annual custom, the congregation of Shiloh Baptist Church yesterday observed "Memorial Sunday" in honor of the men who fought to preserve the Union and abolish slavery. For several decades this church has set aside the last Sunday in May as the day on which to honor the memory of those who fought and fell that the slaves in this land might be free.

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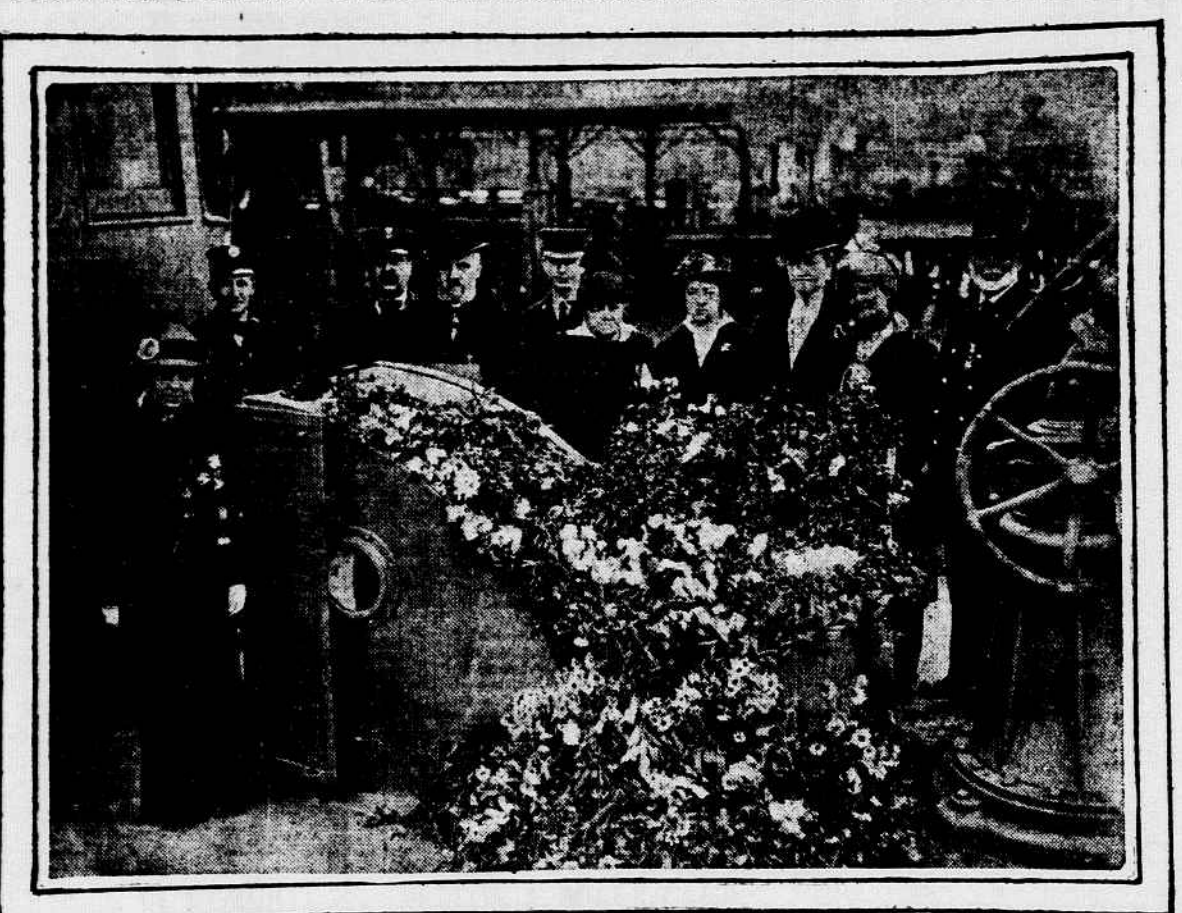
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"More than nine million aliens," he said, "have been admitted to this country in the last three years, and ninety-five per cent of them have had means sufficient to keep them for only a few weeks. Therefore they have been obliged to take the first work offered."

FLOWERS STREWN OVER THE POTOMAC AS TRIBUTE TO MARINE DEAD.



SERVICES IN MEMORY OF THE NAVAL DEAD

Flowers Strewn on the Potomac, Many Being From the White House Greenhouses.

Services in memory of the naval dead were held at the District fireboat dock yesterday afternoon, and also aboard the fireboat Firefighter as that vessel proceeded down the river, with those aboard strewn flowers over the waters. Many of the flowers came from the White House greenhouses, and were sent as a personal tribute of President Wilson. The Girl Scouts of Takoma Park also sent flowers.

Those who participated in the services on the pier, which were in charge of the Ladies' Auxiliary of William B. Cushing Camp, Sons of Veterans, No. 30, were Mrs. H. W. Rutledge, president of the auxiliary; Col. O. Lewis, national patriotic instructor of the G. A. R.; Mrs. Mammie P. Dorsey, department president of the Woman's Relief Corps; Commander O. J. Veley of William B. Cushing Camp, Sons of Veterans; Mrs. Elizabeth Allen, past division president of the Ladies' Auxiliary; Mrs. Isabel Worrell Ball, Mrs. A. Kirkley, Maj. E. R. Campbell, Roscoe L. Oatley, Mrs. E. E. Robble, Mrs. N. Garlick, Mrs. E. E. Brown, Mrs. A. Barringer, Mrs. M. Gates, Maj. C. O. Howard, G. R. Scott, J. Clinton Hlatt and Henry W. Rutledge.

Taps were sounded by R. L. Oatley, Albert Lang sang "The Vacant Chair," and Mrs. Ball recited the poem, "The Unknown Dead."

ITS ANNUAL PROGRAM.

Memorial Services Under Auspices of Theta Delta Chi Chapter.

Annual memorial services of Theta Delta Chi Fraternity were held at All Souls' Church yesterday morning, the observance being in charge of Chi Deuteron Chapter and the Washington Graduate Association of the fraternity.

The principal address was by Rev. J. MacBride Stierrett, rector of the church, who is a member of the fraternity from Rochester University, class of '67. His subject was "The Memorial Sentiment."

Other addresses were by Dr. J. Wightman, Washington and Jefferson, '60, and Dr. George Williamson Smith, Hobart College, class of '67.

The choir of All Souls' Church furnished the music, a special solo, "Crossing the Bar," being sung by Edwin Callow.

Several hundred members of the fraternity attended the services.

At yesterday's service Rev. J. Milton Waldron, pastor, preached on the subject, "Honoring the Union Soldiers and Destroying the Results of the War." He took his text from Exodus, 12:14 and Numbers, 25:23.

He said in part: "A country that fails to honor those who gave their lives for its life is not worthy of preservation; the nation that forgets the men who fought for peace and noble women who suffered, fought and died for her perpetuation and enlargement is doomed to destruction. Ingratitude in nations, as in individuals, is an unfailing sign of degeneracy and is sure to call down upon those guilty of this terrible sin the righteous indignation of God and man."

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"Freedom unity and peace are the great blessings secured to this nation by the civil war. The thirteenth, fourteenth and fifteenth amendments to the Constitution of the United States express in terms of law—fundamental law—the underlying principles for which the Union soldiers fought and died. No man can truly honor the heroes of 1861 and '65 who seeks to nullify these amendments."

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The resultant keen competition in the labor market occasions a very serious problem.

NELSON A. MILES CAMP IN CHARGE OF SERVICES

Spanish War Veterans Hold Annual Memorial Exercises at Government Hospital for Insane.

Nelson A. Miles Camp, No. 1, United Spanish War Veterans, was in charge of the annual memorial exercises held yesterday afternoon at the Government Hospital for the Insane, and John Burke, treasurer of the United States, was the principal speaker. Practically every Spanish War Veteran camp in the District was represented at these exercises, as well as the Grand Army posts. The exercises began at 3 o'clock and proceeded until a march was made from the main entrance to the grounds of this institution, with a section of the Marine Band furnishing the music.

The program included opening remarks by Charles J. P. Weber, commander of Miles Camp, and J. A. Costello, chairman of the committee on arrangements; prayer by the chaplain; address of welcome, Dr. William A. White, superintendent of the Government Hospital; recitation, "Lincoln's Gettysburg Address," Dr. Thomas A. White of the Grand Army; recitation, "The Charge of the Light Brigade," Miss Mabel A. Burch; address, John Burke; address, H. C. Wilson, department commander, U. S. W. V.; recitation, Dr. Thomas Calver; address, B. P. Entine, representing Department of the Potomac, G. A. R.; "Star Spangled Banner" by the band; benediction by the chaplain; and the sounding of "Taps" by Chief Musician A. Graef. The orchestra also furnished selections throughout the program.

Yesterday morning at 9 o'clock the graves at the institution were decorated by the members of the camp, with the assistance of the following committee of members: Miss Mary O'Leary, Miss F. E. Caswell, Mrs. M. McGuire, Mrs. L. Reimond, Mrs. M. Dixon and Mrs. J. Mulligan. Alfred Godding and William Bonini also assisted in this part of the program. At this ceremony three volleys were fired over the graves of the deceased soldiers and sailors and taps sounded.

TRIBUTE TO FORMER LEADER.

Vaughn Class Honors the Memory of Its Founder.

Members of Vaughn class of Calvary Baptist Church yesterday morning honored the memory of Francis W. Vaughn, founder of the class, in simple memorial services held at 8 o'clock in Rock Creek cemetery. The brief service of tribute to the departed "comrade" of the class opened with a prayer by Harry L. Wood, followed by short speeches by Edward L. Tolson, president of the Vaughn class; Prof.

Louis D. Elias, teacher of the class, and by each of the others present. As a reminder of its cheery smile of Mr. Vaughn, John A. Patterson read a poem written by N. A. Lufburrow entitled "He Wore a Smile." At its close wreaths and flowers were placed upon the grave. Those present included George S. Bryan, J. Elmer Fox, R. S. Williams, Lewis K. Bell, John T. Humphreys, J. St. Clair Hamby, F. A. Tuck, John M. Yule, Edward Kinney, S. H. Davidson, Harry B. Ellis and G. T. Aldridge.

FORMER PRESIDENT HONORED.

Services Held in Memory of Late William McKinley.

Rev. Geriah Lamkins, pastor of McKinley Memorial Baptist Church; J. W. Lyons, former register of the Treasury, and Emory W. Williams of South Carolina, were speakers at memorial exercises at Convention Hall yesterday afternoon under the auspices of McKinley and Memorial Baptist Churches. The services were held in honor of the memory of the late President McKinley.

Booker T. Washington, the colored educator and publicist, and Gov. Frank B. Willis of Ohio, who were scheduled to speak, were unable to be present.

RECALLED FROM PHILIPPINES.

Three Regiments to Be Withdrawn and Replaced by Others.

Acting upon legislation by the recent session of Congress limiting Philippine military duty to tours of two years, Secretary Garrison is arranging to withdraw three regiments from the islands before October 1, when the new legislation becomes effective. Accordingly it has been decided to bring back to continental United States the 7th and 8th Cavalry and the 24th Infantry.

These regiments will be replaced by the 5th Cavalry now in Arizona, and the 15th Cavalry and the 27th Infantry in Texas. The assignments of the returning regiments have yet to be determined. One will be brought back in July, another in August and the third in September.

JUMPS TO HIS DEATH.

Henry Clark Leaps From Brooklyn Bridge to Attract Publicity.

NEW YORK, May 31.—In an attempt to attract publicity that would enable him to become a moving picture actor, Henry Clark, a machinist of West Philadelphia, was killed yesterday when he jumped from one of the highest points of the Brooklyn bridge into the East river.

Questioned later at police headquarters, his wife said that Clark wanted to enter the moving picture field and thought by attracting publicity as a "dare-devil" a position would be assured.

ALEXANDRIA AFFAIRS

Graves of Union Soldiers and Others Are Decorated.

HOLD EXERCISES AT 4 P. M.

Delegation of Masons Will Visit Centennial Lodge of Washington Tonight—Rebekah's Social.

Special Correspondence of The Star.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., May 31.—Graves of Union soldiers buried in the National cemetery were decorated this morning with flowers and tiny American flags. Graves of thousands not soldiers buried in the cemeteries in and near the city were also decorated. A delegation of members of Alexandria Lodge of Elks, in accordance with an annual custom, this morning decorated the graves of its members with wreaths suitably inscribed with blue and purple ribbon.

The day was a general holiday in this city. The exercises at Arlington attracted many. The principal exercises here will be held at 4 o'clock this afternoon at the National cemetery, this city, at which time addresses will be delivered by Prof. B. W. Murch, Junior Vice Department Commander Stanton Weaver and Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison. The exercises will be presided over by Past Commander B. T. Janney. Selections will be given by a choir under the direction of Miss Blanche Rotchford and Mr. Solomon. The as-

semblage will be called to order with bugle call by Miss Dora Varney, and she will sound "Taps" at the conclusion. The invocation and benediction will be pronounced by Rev. Edgar Carpenter. A salute will be given by the Alexandria Light Infantry, in command of Capt. W. M. King.

St. Mary's May Day Procession.

The annual procession of the Sodality of the Children of Mary of St. Mary's Catholic Church took place in that church at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, in the presence of a congregation which filled the church to its capacity.

The procession, headed by the Holy Name Band, formed at St. Mary's Academy and marched to the church in a body. A total of thirty-five members were received into the organization and the act of consecration was read by Miss Margaret Whitestone of Culpeper. Miss Ella Hill, president of the society, crowned the May queen. The ceremonies were concluded with benediction by Rev. H. J. Cutler, pastor of the church.

Joseph Lash acted as banner bearer and had the following little attendants: Edward Gorman, Paul Delaney, J. Sampson and Leo Kelley. Following came Mary E. Althea, crown bearer, who was accompanied by Miss Ella Hill, president of the society, with the following attendants: Misses A. and H. Cook, I. Robinson, Virginia Fannon, Eunice De Silva, Mary Ewald, Lena Moore, Ellen Patterson, Mary Quinn, Mary Canavan, Ethel Adams, Eleanor Nugent, Elizabeth Hart, Virginia Downey, Pearl Harrington, Dorothy Knight, Miss Kittie, crown bearer, and the following little attendants: Reginald, Mary Gorman, Mary Torbert and Cornelia Nugent.

Time Limit for Candidates.

The time limit for candidates desiring to enter the primary August 3 to represent Alexandria city and Alexandria county in the state legislature will expire Friday. J. Fred Birrell, incumbent, so far as known, will be the only candidate for the office. Mr.

Birrell has just circulated a petition getting the number of voters required by law, which, together with his declaration, will be filed with Charles Bendheim, chairman of the city democratic committee, between now and Friday. A delegation of members of Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons will go to Washington tonight and visit Centennial Lodge of that city, at which time degree work will be conferred.

Several hundred Alexandrians, among them being many Confederate veterans, today went to Richmond to take part in the "Confederate reunion" in that city. Many will remain until the close of the affair.

Funeral Services.

The funeral of Ernest D. Lambert, who died in Oakland, Cal., May 20, will take place at 4:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon from Wheatley's undertaking chapel. Services will be conducted by Rev. P. P. Phillips, rector of St. Paul's P. E. Church.

The deceased was a son of the late Benjamin H. Lambert, sr., of Alexandria, and is survived by a brother, Charles P. Lambert, Staunton, Va., and a sister, Mrs. Laura V. Crynes, this city.

Funeral services for Elver Underwood, who died Saturday, were held this afternoon from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Underwood, St. Elmo, Alexandria county, and were conducted by Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church.

The ladies of the Rebekah lodge of Odd Fellows will give a social tonight at the home of Mrs. J. H. Mansfield, on King street. All members are urged to be present.

MORE WAGES: LESS WORK.

Increase in Iron and Steel Industry in 1913, With Shorter Weeks.

Increased wages in the iron and steel industry in 1913 were accompanied by reduction of the seven-day week, according to statistics made public to-

day by the bureau of labor statistics. As a result of an increase in wages made in the early part of 1913 three departments of the industry—blast furnaces, Bessemer converters and bar mills—full time weekly earnings were from 6.6 to 24.6 per cent higher than in any one of the six preceding years, while in the six other departments—open hearth furnaces, blooming mills, plate mills, standard rail mills, sheet mills and tin plate mills—full time weekly earnings were 2.8 to 18.1 per cent higher than in any one of the three years preceding.

There was a marked decrease in second-day work between 1907 and 1913, according to the report, many establishments having put into effect plan whereby relief gangs were provided to take the place of regular employees and thus give each employee in seven-day occupations one day of rest in each week.

SHOT TRYING TO ESCAPE.

James Watson, Accused of Chicken Stealing, Captured.

James Watson, colored, twenty-two years old, who resides a short distance north of Takoma Park, Md., was taken to Washington Asylum Hospital yesterday afternoon and treated for two bullet wounds in his body. He was shot by a deputy sheriff while trying to avoid being arrested on a charge of chicken stealing.

Thieves visited the premises of Ruben Wallace, 2722 Blair road, Saturday night, and stole twenty-two chickens. Yesterday afternoon policemen J. T. Kennedy and William Stourman of the tenth precinct went with Deputy Sheriff Crammond to make an investigation of the theft.

The three officers surrounded a house in Maryland, and Watson was shot while trying to get away. Following the shooting, the officers searched the premises and recovered the chickens. Mr. Wallace declared the dead birds as his property. Watson will be tried in Police Court Friday morning.

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